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 SUBJECT: INVOLVEMENT IN DRUG TRAFFICKING BY

1. SECRET ENTIRE TEXT.

2. SECTION 284 (b) OF THE MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF FY-87 WHICH AUTHORIZES AID TO THE NICARAGUAN RESISTANCE FORBIDS THE PROVISION OF ANY AID TO AN ORGANIZATION WHICH RETAINS IN ITS RANKS ANY INDIVIDUAL WHO HAS BEEN FOUND TO ENGAGE IN DRUG SMUGGLING. THERE HAVE BEEN REPORTS DATING TO 1984 THAT ADOLFO "POPO" CHAMORRO HAS BEEN CONNECTED WITH THE DRUG TRADE.

3. AFTER BECOMING AWARE THAT CHAMORRO HAD AFFILIATED WITH THE SOUTHERN OPPOSITION BLOC (BOS), THE CIA MET WITH BOS LEADER ALFREDO CESAR AND INFORMED HIM THAT IT COULD NOT FINANCE ANY OF CHAMORRO'S (SIC: NOT BOS) ACTIVITIES BECAUSE OF THESE ALLEGATIONS. LATER,

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4. GIVEN THE ABOVE, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO MEET IMMEDIATELY WITH ALFREDO CESAR AND INFORM HIM THAT UNLESS

BOS SEVERS ALL TIES WITH CHAMORRO IMMEDIATELY THE U.S. WILL CUT OFF FUNDING TO BOS (RPT BOS) AS REQUIRED BY LEGISLATION. [ ] RECEIVED PARALLEL INSTRUCTIONS ON THIS ISSUE. ED 12958 1.6(d)(1)>10<25Yrs (C)

5. EMBASSY SHOULD REPORT RESULTS OF MEETING WITH CESAR.

6. FYI: WE HAVE OPENED REGULAR CHANNEL OF COMMUNICATION WITH DEA ON QUESTION OF RESISTANCE INVOLVEMENT IN DRUG TRAFFICKING. INFORMATION ON THIS ISSUE WILL BE PASSED BETWEEN STATE AND DEA ON A REGULAR BASIS. WHITEHEAD

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 TO ORGANIZATION  
 THAT RETAINS  
 DRUG DEALER

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